

Amendments to the Written Description

Please amend the last full paragraph on page 7 of the written description, as originally filed, in accordance with the following:

--Referring now to FIGS. 3-6, seal member 118 includes a fabric disc-shaped portion 128 which is preferably disposed on both the proximal and distal sides of inner section 118b of seal member 118. Alternatively, fabric section 128 may be disposed on just one of either the proximally facing surface or the distally facing surface of inner portion 118b, as desired. Fabric portion 128 includes a plurality of interwoven strands 129 (FIG. 3) defining interstices 129a, and may be ~~[[of]]~~ formed from any suitable ~~fabrie~~ material, for example, a SPANDEX material containing 20% LYCRA available from Milliken.--